



UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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**VIA FACSIMILE AND REGULAR MAIL**

April 13, 2006

Louis D. Fletcher, Esq.  
26 Newton Avenue  
Woodbury, New Jersey 08096

**Re: Matteo Iron and Metal, Inc. Superfund Site**

Dear Mr. Fletcher:

On April 4, a final copy of Administrative Settlement Agreement and Order on Consent ("Settlement Agreement"), Index Number II-CERCLA-02-2006-2013, in regard to the above-referenced site.

To date, the Environmental Protection Agency ("EPA") has not received a signed copy of the Settlement Agreement. Please have it signed by the appropriate representative for your client. Please return the signature page only via facsimile at 212-637-3096. Keep in mind that it must then go through EPA's concurrence process and final execution before we can proceed with this matter. Under separate express mailing send the complete Settlement Agreement with the original signature pages.

As to your letter dated April 5, 2006, if the fence is completely installed from the Matteo property, EPA will not require an access agreement with the mobile home park adjacent to the Matteo property. However, if this cannot be accomplished, an access agreement will be required.

As to your second letter dated April 5, 2006, at this time EPA has not made any decision regarding an additional removal action concerning soil that may be within the mobile home park. If such action is necessary, EPA will provide notice to your client, however it will not require that your client undertake such work. If your client declines, EPA will undertake the work.

I can be reached at 212-637-3140. Again, please provide your client's signature as expeditiously as possible.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "D. Cristiano".

Damaris Urdaz Cristiano  
Assistant Regional Counsel

cc: Thomas Budroe, OSC, ERRD-Edison  
James Matteo, Matteo Iron and Metal, Inc.